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Italian ports.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL

brother Henry.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

MAID ROBBED NELLY BLY.

\$800 Worth of Jewelry.

New York, March 5.—Nellie Bly, known in private life as Mrs. Elizabeth Cochran

Seaman of No. 15 West Thirty-seventh street, was robbed by one of her maids

of some \$300 worth of jewelry. The girl,

Jane Murray, was arrested after being caught in a pawnshop by Mrs. Seaman's

brother Henry.

Jane came to Neille's home warmly recommended by a friend.

She performed her duties until yesterday, when she mysteriously disappeared in the middle of the afternon.

This fact caused Mrs. Seaman to become suspicious. She quickly noted that her velvet coat was missing from the hall. Going upstairs, she found the rooms strewn with hits of jewelry and hatpins and looking as if a cyclone had struck it. Her brother Henry started at once to find the nearest pawnshop and Jane. He got both at Thirty-fifth street and Sixth avenue.

Dies of Beating Received.

### TRANSATLANTIC RATE WAR TO BEGIN AGAIN.

Combine Will Fight Cunard Line Over Steerage Fares in the

Mediterranean.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL. New York, March 5 .- Directly on the heels of an announcement proclaiming truce in that long-standing quarrel over steerage rates comes another intimation of war with steerage traffic again the is-

No formal declaration has yet been made, but at the several offices whose lines are listed as participants in the strug-

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gie it was said that the battle will soon be on.

On one side are to be ranged four powerful steamship comparies, on the other the redoubtable old Cunard Line, which, since its recent withdrawal from all agreements with other lines, has occupied a position of "splendid isolation." It was this secession and the company's entry into the Mediterranean field which are said to have enused this second rupture.

The decision to wage a united war against the Cunard was reached at a conference recently held at Cologne, and, according to repopris which have reached this city, the general plan is for the Hamburg-American Line to re-establish its old Scandia Line, which went out of existence in 1835, and to run vessels from this to Scandinavian ports, and with these ships to cut the Cunard steerage rates in half, its allies to pay any loss which may eruse. The lines which are to combine with the Hamburg-American in this onslaught on the British company are the North German Lloyd, the Holland-America and the Red Star.

At the office of the Hamburg-American Line vesterday it was said that, while no selection of vessels for the branch service had yet been made, it had been decided to berin the service on April 1.

Ratea as announced almost cut in half the Cunard rates, its lowest charge being \$34.25 to the Scandia's \$18, and so on in proportion to the other rates. There is to be a fortnightly service.

At the Cunard office the news of the war against the company was received with apparent unconcern. "If one line wants to run a losing business and a combination of lines wants to help them lose," said the agent. "why, let them go ahead. It is no business of ours."

At the office no information could be had regarding the charge that the Cunard Company had violated a compact not to enter the Mediterranean, and that it was mainly because of this that the four lines had combined against it. There is further falk that these four lines may jointly establish another to run from Liverpool to Italian ports. gle it was said that the battle will soon Bear on Congress.

WANTS GOVERNMENT SUPPORT

ed, Laboring Man Feels That Principle Would Be Established.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL
Washington, March 5.—Whether the the eight-hour goal, it is certain that they are making more determined efforts in

The attempt of Representative Liver hour labor only, is an evidence of a new determination to force this question into labor question into the last hour of deout on a point of order.

not on the eight-hour movement direct, as the amendment proposed applied to con-Girl Caught in Act of Pawning tracts already let and, as was explained, would have been a breach of faith on the part of the Government. SIX BILLS PENDING.

Half a dozen bills limiting the hours of

now pending in the House Committee on Labor. They are all alike in intention and similar in wording.

An agreement has been reached to make the contest on a bill introduced by Representative Hit, which provides that all contracts to which the United States, any one of the Territories or the District of Columbia is a party, involving the employment of laborers or mechanics, shall contain a provision that such laborers and mechanics shall not be required to work more than eight hours a days. The bill would apply to every variety of controcts let by the Government from the Panama Canal down to the smallest military barracks. It would apply to thousands of mechanics employed in the construction of the hulls, machinery, guns and armor of the battleships of the navy as well as to all the day laborers engaged in military contract work.

WORKING FOR PRINCIPLE.

WORKING FOR PRINCIPLE. Scranton, Pa., March 5.—John G. Bechtel of Pittsburg, who it is alleged, was assaulted by two Italians here ten days ago, is dead. He leaves a wife and one son. Tony and Frank Burno, with whom he is said to have had a dispute, and who were out on bell, were rearrested.

ST. LOUIS PHYSICIAN HAS CHAIR ONCE USED BY GEORGE WASHINGTON.



L. Ford of No. 4219 Olive street was used by General George Washington during the Revolutionary War while he made his headquarters in the home of one of his officers, Colonel Jacob Ford, Jr., at Morristown, N. J. Colonel Ford was an side de camp or

the staff of General Washington and offered his home to him to be used by the commander during the New Jersey campaign of 1879 and 1880. The entire south side of the house was turned over to the General and his wife, who was with him at the time.

The four lower rooms were used as headuarters while one of the rooms just above them was used by Mrs. Washington as a bedroom. Colonel Ford showing the patriotic spirit of the times by refusing to accept any pay for the use of his house. The chair in question stood at the desk

used by General Washington in the Ford home. It is made of mahogany and is in a fine state of preservation. It is still in active service at the desk of Doctor Ford, who prizes it highly. The chair was made in 1764, but the name

of the maker has been lost. It remained in the Ford home until late in the Eighteenth Century, when it was carried to Charleston, S. C., by Jacob Ford III, and stayed there until brought away by Doctor Ford a few years ago. It will be ex-hibited in the New Jersey State building, which is to be a reproduction of the Ford home, at the World's Fair.

A story is told in connection with the

DOCTOR W. HUDSON FORD.

ccupancy by General Washington of the Ford home to show how deeply Washington's heart and mind was wrapped up in the cause of the colonies.

One bleak day he, in company with Colonel Ford rode out to inspect the posts. They were in the rain and sleet several hours and when they returned to head-quarters both of them were wet to the skin. When they entered the house Washington was so deeply engrossed in his own thoughts that he forgot to change his wearing apparel. He stood beside the mantel piece oblivious to everything but the workings of his own mind. Colonel Ford, being his host as well as his subordinate, hesitated to speak of his own discomfort. In a few moments Mrs. Washington came into the room and suggested that they put on dry clothes. At this General Washington came out of his reverle and apologized profusely for having kept his host in a state of discomfort so long, dis-

missed him from the room, but forgot to change his own clothes.

Doctor Ford is a great-grandson of this Colonel Ford.

# DETERMINED FIGHT FOR 8-HOUR LAW

American Federation of Labor Bringing Every Effort to

If National Legislation Is Enact-

representatives of labor in Congress have greater hopes than ever before of reaching this direction now than ever before.

nash of California to have the naval work provided for in the appropriation bill, passed Friday night performed by contractors who will agree to employ eightthe campaign. Three times he injected the bate by proposing eight-hour amendments. Once he was voted down and twice ruled

The defeat by division of the House was

daily service of laborers and mechanics employed on work for the Government are now pending in the House Committee on

The American Federation of Labor and its friends in Congress for years have been struggling for this eight-hour day in Government work. It is not the main object of the labor agitator, but it is a most important step toward the dream of the laboring man. If the principle can once be established in the Government service apparently.

the federation officials think that the eight-hour day will be more easily accomplished in the various States and in private contracts.

The first national eight-hour law was passed in 1858, and since then conditions have been such that, writing officially as Commissioner of Labor in 1858, Carroll D. Wright, said of the eight-hour policy:

"The Federal Government has long been committed to this policy."

This act was never of much effect, and the Supreme Court held it to be merely directory. Trade unionists are now seeking to have the application of the eight-hour rule extended so that it shall affect all work done under contract, as well as work done directly.

MAN WITHOUT A COUNTRY. Former Resident of America

Finds He May Not Return.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL. New York, March 5.-Returning from visit to the land of his birth, to the land where he has spent forty-two years of his life, though without becoming an American citizen, James Devaney, an aged Irishman, is held at Ellis Island, a veritable 'man without a country."

"man without a country."

When Devaney originally came to this country he made application to become a naturalized citizen, but later he was so busy with other matters that he neglected to ask for his full citizenship papers.

The other day when he returned from a brief trip to Ireland the immigration officials were compelled to deny him admission because he may become a public charge.

charge.

He is likely to be sent back to Ireland, and it is quite as likely that he will not be permitted to land there, for his continued residence here has led him to forfeit his British citizenship. tor of no mean standing.

### LANDOWNER CANNOT ENTER. French Priest of New Mexico Held by Authorities.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL New York, March 5.-Father Noel De morest, a French Catholic priest, is detained at Ellis Island and his exclusion is likely, in spite of the fact that for nine years he labored as a missionary among

the Indians of New Mexico. The priest came to America in 1892, but two years ago returned again to France. Last Sunday he was taken from La Tour-raine to Ellis Island, suffering from tuber-

ulosis.
The law coor rot permit the landing of an allen thus affilied, and before the law Father Demorest is an allen. He has only his first citizenship papers. In explanation of his neglect to procure his second papers, he says that he took up land in New Mexico under the homestead act and that he thought this equivalent to becoming a citizen. mother and the doctor, she says, had often expressed the desire that the woman

### CHILD WIFE WANTS DIVORCE. Husband Spends Wages for Oigarettes, She Charges.

Newark, March 5 .- A young man and a Newark, March 5.—A young man and a young woman, who said they were Mr. and Mrs. John Allers of No. 66 Broad street, Newark, called at the office of Justice of the Peace Robert Miller and asked to be divorced.

They were married a year ago in Bloomfield, they said, when he was 18 and she was 16 years of age, by a Justice of the Peace.



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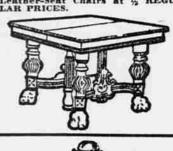
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### OLD FOLKS LOVED, GIRL GOT HOUSE.

Doctor Has Brought Suit to Recover Property From Aged Widow's Daughter.

FOURTEEN YEARS' COURTSHIP.

Didn't Intend to Deed Away Home and Document Was Not to Be Filed, He Avers.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.
Syracuse, N. Y., March 5.-A story of love at first sight, of an undying devotion in the hearts of two old people and the legal troubles which sprung therefron was related in special term before Justice Scripture during the trial of the action brought by Doctor Philo C. Hubbell against Mrs. Nellie Hendrickson. The latter is the daughter of the woman who claimed the aged doctor to be an oscula-

The cause of the action, namely, to stablish a lien and to set aside a deed of property at No. 408 Westcott street, was not interesting. The property was sold to Mrs. Hendrickson by the doctor, who, it is claimed, cherished fond hopes that one day the woman whom he is now suing would call him "papa." The cold complaint does not bring out any of the in-teresting suggestions relating to the exercise of the arts of love, but simply says that the woman secured the deed to the property, mortgaged it without the leas right to do so, and that she paid but \$133

on the purchase price of \$1,300.

The doctor wants the deed set aside and and the property given back to him. He didn't intend to deed away the house, and it was understood that the instrument was not to be filed. DAUGHTER'S STORY. Nellie tells a far different tale. She was to have the property in trust for her

he loved would occupy one of his houses. It was at his own auggestion that Mrs. Hendrickson took the property and the Hendrickson took the property and the consideration named was simply to blind the doctor's brothers into the idea that he received something for his place.

The case was tried once before in the Supreme Court and the complaint was dismissed on the motion of George W. O'Brien, who appeared for the defendant. The doctor, through B. B. Aylesworth and G. W. Driscoll, took the matter to the Appellate Division, where the holding of Justice Andrews was affirmed, but the court of last resort took a different opinion of the matter and sent it back for a new hearing.

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Mr. O'Brien started the pretty love tale when he told the court that there was never any intention on the part of the doctor to receive anything for his property. He told the court that the defendant's mother, Mrs. Orrie D. Swartout, a woman over 69 years of age, had been the doctor's sweetheart and that it was to her that the house was given through her daughter, Neille. The doctor, too, can boast of his three score and ten years. Both sat in court to-day, but evidently their love has grown cold. A LONG COURTSHIP.

"Mrs. Swartout is a widow," began Mr. O'Brien. "When her husband died, nearly thirty years ago, as a result of his injuries



in the Civil War, the lady came to this city to live. She called for Doctor Hubbell to treat her after she had been here only a short time, and the professional calls soon ripened into a warm desire on the part of either that the calls should continue. The old doctor began a courtship which lasted more than fourteen years, and during all this time the elderly swain was assiduous in his attentions on his lady love. He has denied this on the stand, but I will show your Honor, before I am through, that it was simply the courtship and nothing more that called the doctor to the old lady's side during all these years. I will show that the doctor intended to marry the lady. He would eat with her at the boarding place and would sit at no place except by the side of his alleged patient.

"He never expected a cent for the sale of the place to Mrs. Swartout's daughter and the form was simply gone through to satisfy the doctor's brothers. This story of the fourteen years courtship must come out at this trial because it shows that the property was given in consideration of his marriage."

COURT WAS INTERESTED. in the Civil War, the lady came to this

COURT WAS INTERESTED. "Have you set up fraud?" inquired Justice Scripture. "No, but we say that the deed was given

to fool the doctor's people."

A long argument then ensued between A long argument then ensued between Mr. O'Brien and Mr. Driscoll as to the continuance of the case. At the close the court said: "It is such an unusual case that I will hear the evidence. I would like to hear more of this courtship myself."

While Mr. O'Brien was opening the case Justice Scripture inquired: "When was he to marry the lady?"

"No definite day was set, your Honor," replied Mr. O'Brien.

"Within a reasonable time, I suppose," said the Justice with a smile.

Mrs. Hendrickson, the defendant, when called to the stand, said she was married, but that she had not lived with her husband for ten years. She had a boy here in college, she said.

Sue for Natural Gas.

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REPULLIC SPECIAL.

New York, March 5.—Frank E, Randall, president of the Miami Valley Gas and Fuel Company, and president and treasurer of the Central Contract and Finance Company, has been directed by Judge Leventritt of the Supreme Court to appear before William C. Timm as commissioner to take evidence here to be used on the trial of an action involving the assets of the gas and fuel company pending in Ohio. George F. Baker and William E. Strom. the executors of H. O. Armour and W. H. Dye, minority stockholders, charge that in 18% the majority stockholders and officers of the gas and fuel company, for the purpose of defrauding the company, allowed the gas fields to run down and deteriorate, themselves acquiring new gas fields elsewhere.

Butcher Dies at His Stand. REPUBLIC SPECIAL. New York, March & John Moore, 74 years old, the oldest butcher in Washington Market, with stand No. 47, was found dead in the market, death being due to apoplexy.

For sixty-five years, ever since he was an errand boy in the market, he had never missed a day attending to his busi-ness. For seven years he lived in a loft over the stand, leading the life of a re-cluse.

FEAST INSTEAD OF FUNERAL

Man's Return Prevents Burial of a Stranger's Body.

a Stranger's Body.

New York, March 5.—E. J. Connelly, a traveling salesman, who resides with his parents at No. 56 South Third street, Williamsburg, was the central figure in a joyous family reunion, held to celebrate his return from the dead, so to speak.

The house had been the abode of grief and mourning, for in an undertaking establishment a body supposed to be his was being prepared for burial.

Connolly is employed by a firm in Murray street, Manhattan. On his last trip to the West he was away much longer than usual, and neglected—also an unusual circumstance—to write home.

His family became apprehensive concerning his safety, and when on Monday last his father read the description of an unidentified suicide whose body had been found at the Waverley Club building, in Yonkers, it seemed to answer so closely the description of his son that he burried to the Yonkers morgue to investigate.

A scar on the dead man's face and a diamond ring on a finger confer ed his worst fears, and he returned to break the terrible news to the family and rake arrangements for the funeral.

While the household will break the small panic which greeted his appearance. Explanations were soon forthcoming, however, woe was turned to jey, and connolly himself hurried off to cancel the funeral arrangements.



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